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## TRAIL DUST



Fate has perfected a system of causing the unexpected to appear entirely obvious. A man stoops to pick up a lady's glove in a church doorway. Ten years and three children later they wonder how next month's bills can be met, but never about the destiny that brought their lives together.

It is difficult to accept a biological change in the American Eagle, but the Russian satellite makes it appear that the proud old bird has laid an egg.

Talent is a quality which is readily compared to an ordinary individual, making him feel like a moron who has his part ghost-written.

It is said with good authority that West Texas is the best "next year country" in the world. It might be pointed out, however, that the people in many lands know that conditions are not going to be good next year because they have always been the same.

Ambition plants the seeds of unrest in the heart, but necessity frequently pulls up the young sprouts before they can attain the strength of independence.

Carrying the torch for an old flame can become downright absurd when she returns from a long absence. Time refuses to leave the object of our memories intact.

(Tribune files 10-31-57)

## ICC Says Quanah Rail Line Can't Be Abandoned

by Helen Anderson  
Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON - Interstate Commerce Commission has upheld an administrative court ruling rejecting a proposal by the Quanah, Acme and Pacific Railway Co. to abandon 104.8 miles of line in Cottle, Motley, Floyd and Hardeman counties.

U.S. Representative Jack Hightower was notified of the ICC's ruling decision Wednesday.

The ruling which the ICC upheld was handed down May 25 by Administrative Law Judge Geraldine R. Keyes.

She concluded that traffic over the line proposed to be abandoned increased from 1974 to 1976 and that the line served "a substantial public need in connection with the movement of agricultural commodities."

The ICC, in adopting the ruling as an order of the commission, also denied the railroad's request for a rehearing.

The ICC's decision became effective Wednesday under an order signed by H. G. Homme, acting secretary for Division 3.

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## Bulletins

### Hospital Patients

Glenn Woodruff entered St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Tuesday for heart examinations and tests. He was accompanied by Mrs. Woodruff, and joining them Wednesday were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jameson.

Miss Rachel Patton has been a patient in Methodist Hospital this week, where she had surgery Monday. She was accompanied to Lubbock Sunday by her sisters and brother-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Stearns and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craven, and they were joined by another sister, Mrs. L. J. Barkley and her daughter and husband, Col. and Mrs. Haynes M. Baumgardner.

Mrs. Jim Ratcliff is a patient in Central Plains Hospital, Plainview, where she had hip surgery Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Roberta Jameson and Mrs. Homer T. Jenkins, who were joined at the hospital by Rev. Lloyd Hearn.

Recent patients in Motley General Hospital have been Mrs. A. J. Daffern, Elbert Seigler and Doyle Rose.

Mrs. Audie Poteet had emergency surgery Tuesday night in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She was accompanied to Tulia by Mrs. R. E. Campbell Sr. and Mrs. James Renfro, where they were met by Mrs. Poteet's sister, Mrs. Troy Perkins who accompanied her on to Amarillo.

### Methodists To Serve Supper

The public is reminded of the benefit soup and chili (both homemade) supper -- with all the "extras" which will be served Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Proceeds of the pre-game meal will go to the United Methodist building fund. The Young Adult Class of the Methodist Sunday School is sponsoring the supper.

Price per serving will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children under 12.

### Reminder

Homecoming visitors and Motley County residents are reminded of the Invitational Pot Luck Roping and Flag Race to be held Friday, October 29 at the Tutt Garnett Arena. Events begin at 2:00 p.m. Anyone can enter and all participants should be at the Arena by 1:00 p.m. in order to draw names.

Belt buckles, donated by Flomot Gin, Caprock Gin, and Floydada Livestock will be awarded to average winners.

All proceeds from the gate will go to the Matador Volunteer Fire Department. There have been many inquiries about the event and a big crowd is expected to attend. Everyone is invited to attend, participate and join in the fun.

### Senator Slates Visit

Senator John Tower of Wichita Falls will be in Matador Wednesday, Nov. 2, to meet with friends from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. according to Luther Green, County chairman of the Republican Party. A buffet lunch will be served and everyone is invited. Bill Hale of Floydada, who has announced his candidacy as State Representative, 66th District, will serve as master of ceremonies. Tower, who will be a candidate for re-election as U.S. Senator, will be here to greet the public and answer questions.

## HOME COMING Welcome Exes



DEBBIE HARALSON  
President of Ex-Student Association

## UNICEF Drive To Be Held Monday

Monday, October 31 will be a day of children helping children in Matador. The Acteens and G.A.'s of the First Baptist Church will be collecting funds for U.N.I.C.E.F.

Monday is a day when adults should remember that not every child has prospects for a bright future. Three-fourths of the world's children live in developing nations where disease, illiteracy and malnutrition are the ugly facts of life.

United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund is a day for remembering and helping. Through extensive programs in health, education and nutrition, the United Nation's Children's Fund helps over 100 countries toward better lives for their children.

Contributions to UNICEF can go a long way, whether it's 9 cents that purchases enough vaccine to immunize a child against polio, or \$1,500 for a year's supply of medicine for a health-care unit serving 4000 people.

U.N.I.C.E.F. Trick or Treaters will meet at the First Baptist Church at 5:00 and will be assigned to cars and streets. The drive will take approximately two hours.

The group will then return to the church for fellowship and refreshments. For further information about the UNICEF drive, contact Frances Hobbs.

## Rattan Rites Set Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Rattan Ramsey, 78, will be at 2 p.m. today at the First Baptist Church in Matador. Officiating will be Rev. Gene Jackson, pastor of the First Freewill Baptist Church in Bristow, Oklahoma, and Rev. Jerry Golden, local pastor. Interment will be in East Mound Cemetery under direction of Seigler Funeral Home.

A former Matador resident, Mrs. Ramsey died shortly after noon Monday, Oct. 24, at a nursing home in Bristow, Okla., following a lengthy illness.

She was born Minnie Hillis, January 8, 1899, and moved to Motley County in 1917. She was married to the late Virgil A. Rattan, February 4, 1917 at Ralls, and made her home in Matador until after his death January 2, 1964. Later she lived at Tulia, Texas for several years and had been a resident of Bristow, Okla., for the past three years. She was married to Clarence Ramsey there about three years ago.

Mrs. Ramsey was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Matador and currently was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bristow.

She is survived by her husband; three sons, Lawrence Rattan of Amarillo, Truett Rattan of Gilmer and Raymond Rattan of Albuquerque, N.M.; three daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Meek (Valda) of Plano, Mrs. Lewis Mullins (Justine) of Dallas and Mrs. Wayne Hereden (Dorothy) of Bristow, Okla.; 15 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

## Time Changes Sunday

Daylight-saving time will come to an end Sunday, and persons who want to be on time should set their clocks back an hour before they go to bed Saturday night.

The official time change, however, is at 2 a.m. Sunday. Daylight savings time is usually in effect from the last Sunday in April to the last Sunday in October.

It is not really a new innovation. According to the Wichita Falls Record News, the British are often credited with using it first as an economy measure during World War I. The United States adopted it in 1918, but Congress repealed the law in 1919.

It was tried again in the United States after World War II, but was optional for individual states or cities. The law now allows a state which lies across more than one time zone to use daylight-saving time in one time zone and not the other.

Activities for Homecoming, October 28-29 will get underway tonight (Thursday) when Motley County students, teachers and friends, led by the Pep Club and football team assemble at the VFW grounds for a traditional bonfire and pep rally. The homecoming game Friday night at Burleson Field will be between the Motley County Matadors and the Happy Cowboys.

Ex-students and teachers will begin registering at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the school, where donuts will be served. A pep rally is scheduled at 4:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

A soup and chili (both homemade) supper will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. by a Methodist Sunday School class as a benefit for the church building fund.

Preceding the game, the Matadors will select and crown their Football Sweetheart.

At halftime, the VFW will give away a certificate good for 250 gallons of gas, and the Volunteer Fire Department will give away a C.B. radio and antenna.

Registration for the Exes will resume Saturday at 9:30 a.m. at the school, again with donuts and visiting. Class reunions will be held during the day, and at 3:30 p.m. all will assemble in the gymnasium for a business meeting, program and election of a Homecoming Queen.

A barbecue supper will be served in the school cafeteria from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door, \$2.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children under 8. All local exes are reminded to bring desserts for the supper.

The Homecoming dance for exes and their parents, will be at the VFW building. Admission will be \$5.00 for couples and \$3.00 for singles.

These classes have announced plans for a reunion: 1917, at the home of Mrs. Josephine Moore Hamilton; class of 1947, 1967, and both Matador and Roaring Springs classes of 1957 will meet in separate groups.

## Brandon To Feature Matador On KRPC

Scenes of Matador will be featured on a program, "The Eyes of Texas," on a Houston television station, sometime in the future. Robert Brandon, with station KRPC-TV made over 50 pictures here while attending Homecoming in 1975, which will be used on the program. He is a graduate of Matador High School.

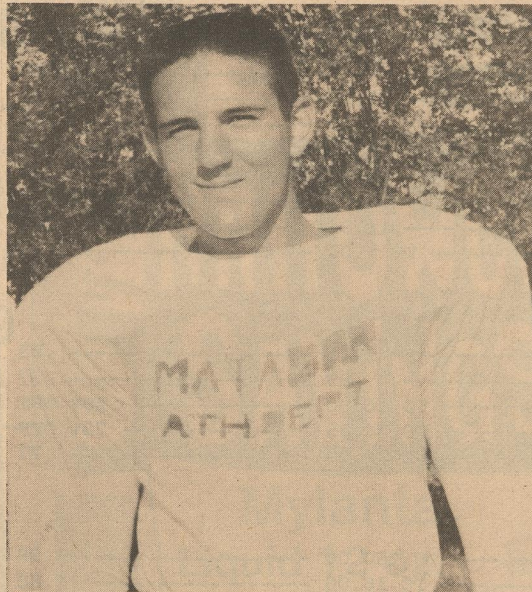
"It's funny how many things change, but stay the same," he narrates in the script.

"My roots are in West Texas, the Foothill country they call it; just off the caprock. Dry, dusty, and windy. Cotton may not be king, but it provides a living for the sunburned farmers who till this soil."

Scenes include the old Mission service station, the jail, courthouse, barber shop, street scenes, the Matador skyline at night, and scenes at homecoming.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brandon of Weatherford, Tex., former Matador residents.

He added in his letter which accompanied the pictures, "We are publishing a series of books from the material we gather doing the Eyes of Texas. The books are called, of course, 'The Eyes of Texas,' and we cover interesting people and places in the state that people might like to visit on vacations. Some of these pictures may be used in one of the books."



ROBERT BRANDON

## Matadors Defeated By Valley Patriots

by Coach Randy Hicks

Motley County failed in an effort to clinch the Zone title Friday night as they lost to the Valley Patriots 34-0.

The Matadors never could get into the ball game offensively after the loss of fullback Jerry Lee at the start of the second quarter.

Todd McCandless, Donnie Martin, and Mike Green accounted for 154 yards total offense.

The Matadors had to junk their regular defense due to the injury of all three linebackers.

Homecoming will bring a game with the Happy Cowboys. A win here will insure a Zone tie with Valley and Sudan, which would be settled by a flip of the coin. A key to Friday night's victory will be getting several people healthy and pulling team spirit back together after a tough loss.

## 4-H Banquet Held

Highest 4-H Awards were received Monday night by Tanya Simpson and Shannon Jameson at the annual 4-H Achievement Banquet held in the high school gymnasium. They were named Gold Star Girl and Boy and presented also with the Plains Key Award and the I Dare You Award from the Danforth Foundation.

County Agent Bill Pallmeyer presented the awards to the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Simpson of Northfield and the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson of Whiteflat.

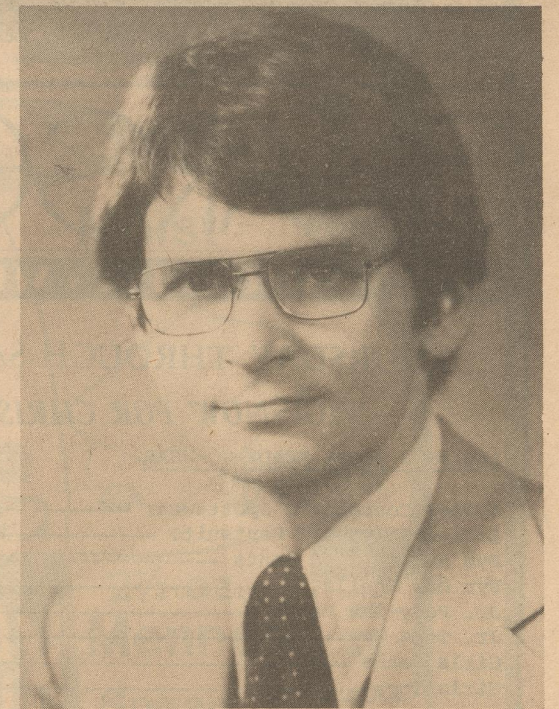
Tanya, a 4-H member for 9 years and a Junior in High School, was 1st place winner in the Sr. Division of the County Dress Revue but was unable to compete for district honors as she was attending the National Citizenship and Heritage Tour in Washington, D.C. Since returning from her trip, she has presented programs for several sponsoring groups and has more planned for the near future. She was District 4-H delegate for the past year, and has recently been elected President of the High School girls club. She will also serve as Master of Ceremonies for the District Gold Star Luncheon to be held in Vernon, November 10.

Shannon, also a Junior in high school has participated in the 4-H program for 8 years. His projects included a cotton crop, beef cattle and livestock judging. His record was in Agriculture, which placed 3rd in District competition.

Speaker for the event, Dr. Bob Stafford was introduced by Master of Ceremonies, Douglas Campbell, after the invocation by Rev. Lloyd Hearn. Dr. Stafford is an orthopedic surgeon in Amarillo, and a former Motley County 4-H member. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stafford of Roaring Springs, he was winner of the Gold Star Boy award in 1955. He served as president of the Roaring Springs 4-H club and also as chairman of the Motley County club. After graduation, Dr. Stafford attended Texas Tech University on a football scholarship. Later, he attended Southwest Medical School in Dallas and has been practicing medicine in Amarillo since 1970. He and his wife have three children, Greg, 10, Gwen, 7 and Shirley, 5.

In presenting a talk which was laced with humorous stories, Stafford said, "I feel lucky to have grown up in this county and to have been involved with such a useful program as 4-H". Stafford stated that programs such as 4-H are very helpful in forming judgement through experience. He declared that experience plays a great part in our development. "It is easy to obtain facts but hard to put them into practice. Knowledge gained through experience and learning to apply this knowledge is the important thing."

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MICHAEL GROVES

## Groves Named As New Executive

The appointment of Richard V. Michael (Mike) Groves, C.P.A., as Vice-president and comptroller of Evans-Monical, Inc., of Houston recently was made by J. W. Evans, President. The new official is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves, and a graduate of Matador High School, class of 1959.

In his new position, Groves assumes fiscal responsibility for the Interior Design department. He received his BA from Rice University in 1964 and has done graduate work in design and accounting. He joined the firm in 1967 and was appointed Comptroller in 1975.

Evans-Monical, Inc., established in 1958, provides professional interior design service for all sizes of commercial, institutional, and residential projects, complementing its retail gift, home furnishings, and accessory showroom.

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## Meeting Planned For Senior Citizens

There will be a meeting at the Community Action Center, November 3 from 3:30 until 5:00 p.m. The meeting is being held in order to give Senior Citizens a chance to visit the center and share their ideas on activities they would like to undertake, which will make their lives more enjoyable.

Workers at the Center include Bobbie J. Brown, Supervisor; Mable B. Barrett, who is helper, Wynona Gilbreath, who works with the Mini Bus and Bernice Daffern who helps with the Green Thumb program.

Any interested persons are invited to attend the meeting and share ideas with the group.



MR. AND MRS. C.B. GROVES

## Anniversary Tea Honors Couple

Former Matador residents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Groves of Brady celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 14, at a tea in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church, Brady.

Hosts were the couple's children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Groves of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McAnear of Ridgecrest,

N.C., and David Groves of San Antonio. Mrs. McAnear is the former Ann Luella Groves.

C. B. Groves and Martha Ann Ratcliffe were married August 17, 1927 in Amarillo, Texas. She was reared in the Lelia Lake Community in Donley County. Mr. Groves was reared in Matador and is a graduate of Matador High School, Class of 1923.

Mr. Groves is a former Matador city Secretary and former Tax Assessor-Collector for Motley County.

Mr. and Mrs. Groves moved to Tyler from Matador, and then to Brady, where he worked for Hubert Gilbreath in the grocery business. He was later City Secretary of Brady until his retirement last year.

In addition to their church and civic activities, Mr. and Mrs. Groves are now engaged in pursuing their hobby of lapidary and making jewelry from polished rocks.

Mr. Groves is a brother of Algie and Dick Groves, local residents.

Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Maurice Reilly of Albuquerque, N.M. visited friends here Wednesday of last week.

## Garden Club Meets

The Matador Garden Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ted Elliott, with Mrs. Carl King leading the program on "Money in the Bank."

Business was conducted by Mrs. W. W. Clements, president, and the roll was called by Mrs. C. D. Garrison and answered with "name a plant you have successfully propagated."

Mrs. Elliott spoke on "Do It Yourself: Plant Propagation," and reports were given by summer delegates to Bluebonnet Girls State, Shelly Seigler and Alicia

Wilson; and by Tanya Simpson, who attended the 4-H Youth Congress in Washington, D. C. The Garden Club had assisted in sponsoring these youth activities.

Exhibit for the day was a "show and tell" rooted cuttings in water, and the Garden Hint was: Scatter hardy annual seeds."

In addition to those mentioned, others present were Mesdames J. D. Craven, W. N. Pipkin, Eldred Seigler, Pat Sheridan and Alvin Stearns.



## IN THE ROUGH by hazel

### LOW PUTTS PLAY

Laverna, Geneva, Louise, Kathryn, Loys, Winifred, Dorothy and Hazel played Thursday, with Linda (Campbell) Oliver and son, Cody riding around with Loys.

Louise won the ball -- having 12 putts. Geneva was second with 13 putts ... and it was Oct. 13!

Enjoying lunch at El Matador were Geneva, Louise, Winifred and Hazel, with 'Cretia Jr. stopping in for coffee and pie and visiting.

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**Handicap Tournament**  
Those playing Sunday in a handicap tournament were Boyce, Geneva, Clay, and Laverna; Dorothy D., Roy S., Louise and Joe; Winifred, John, Howard and Loys; Don, Kathryn, Leona and Alfred;

Clay was winner (67) and there was a tie between Alfred, Roy and Boyce for second (69), so second and third places divided between the 3 players. Laverna had a "hole-out" on No. 3 for a birdie and Geneva had a "hole-out" for a birdie on No. 4, AND Boyce had an eagle on No. 6.

**DONATIONS** for the RR fund were made by LaVoe and Buzz, Mickey and Hazel -- since they didn't play Sunday. Another recent donation was made by Judine.

We appreciate all the response made to this fund and those who have played in the tournaments and their generous contributions; and those who didn't play, but donated -- our thanks!

### PUTTS PLAY

Playing were Laverna, Winifred, Louise, Geneva, Leona, Mary, Francine, Dorothy, and Hazel.

Balls were given for putts ... Hazel won for low putts (10) and a tie for most putts (16) was between Laverna and Dorothy, with Dorothy winning the draw.

Enjoying lunch at El Matador were all the players -- and several played another round after lunch.

The Indian summer weather has been ideal and lots of golf played ... despite all the spraying activity -- so many planes in and out, and lots of noise ... John B. remarked it reminded him of his combat service!

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Kathryn and Marvin enjoyed playing at Floydada CC Thursday.

Mrs. Eddie Russell visited in Crowell, Wednesday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon. She accompanied her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gordon Russell, who was en route to Wichita Falls to meet Mr. Russell, who had been at a meeting in Austin. Mrs. Gordon accompanied Mrs. Russell to Vernon, Thursday where they visited another sister, Mrs. Erma McAdams.

## PROGRAM PRESENTED TO CLUB ON LOVE

A most enriching program on the "Different Roles of Love" was presented at the regular meeting of the Eternas Junior Study Club, Thursday, October 20, at the home of Mrs. Clay Jameson. Mrs. Jerry Golden served as co-hostess. The program was presented by Mrs. Wildring Edwards, Professor in the College of Home Economics, Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Mrs. Edwards stressed that to love others we must first love ourselves. A short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Larry Hoyle, first vice-president, in the absence of the president.

Two new members, Margaret Bryant and Mrs. Ron Richards were introduced and welcomed to the club. New Yearbooks were distributed to the club by Mrs. Arnold Johnson. Theme for the year is "Striving Together For Our Community." Delicious refreshments were served to the following members, in addition to the above mentioned: Mesdames Emilio Aguilar, Billy Barnes, Morris Burkes, Dickie Garrison, Neal Haralson, Randy Hicks, Carter Luckett, Jesse Perkins, Charles Renfro, Pat Seigler, Jeff Thacker, Johnney Turner and Roger Vinson.

## W.M.U. Meets

The W.M.U. Dorcas Group met October 18 with Mrs. Stuart Dixon. Bible lesson was led by Mrs. Edgar Lee. Cards were mailed to those who are in the hospital and also to some who are in rest homes.

Those present for the meeting were Audrey Price, Velma Fulfer, Nora Belle Dunning, Winifred Lee, Opal Craven, Lucy Woodruff, Rose Turner, Francis Dixon, Willie Russell and Evelyn Garrison.

### ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. James M. (Chip) Smith of Garland announce the arrival of a son, Jeremy Lee, born October 15 at 9:25 a.m. in Medical City Hospital, Dallas. He weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Smith, Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Short of Dallas. Great-grandmother of the child is Mrs. E. L. Gardner of Allen, Oklahoma.

Welcome Exes

## Beat Happy

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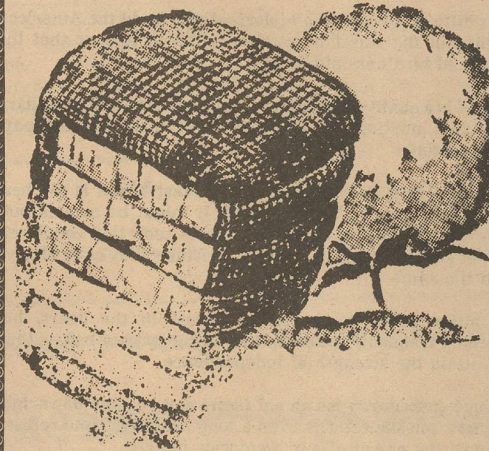
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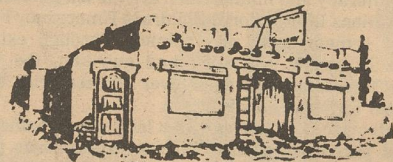
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Class of '47

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## Letters From Exes

1101 W. Vermont Ave.  
Phoenix, Arizona

Dear Hazel:  
Thanks again for your information about homecoming. I am looking forward to the one I can attend - maybe 1978. Enclosed is my \$1. for dues. Again thanks, I know it will be great.  
Allen Bryan

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From Dr. Franklin G. Eldridge of Valdosta, Ga.: "Hi - I hope I can, someday, be in the Matador area at this time of year, but doesn't seem likely! For \$1.00 annually I can't possibly resist remaining a member, tho' what with inflation, how can you manage on \$1.00 per year? Postage alone should consume that!  
I retired from active practice Jan. 1, '76 and haven't caught up with "things" yet. I remain a delegate from Ga., to the A.M.A. and chair several committees and that takes time, but I enjoy the meetings. Regards."

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Cecil Cammack, Tyler, Tex., writes: "Dear Hazel, sorry I will not be able to attend Homecoming this year." In a note received last year following homecoming, which Cecil attended, he wrote, "We owe the local exes a debt of gratitude for the excellent program they provide."

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Austin, Texas  
Oct. 21, 1977

Dear Exes:  
Received your letter today concerning the date for this year's get-together. I am sorry that your letter had to chase me so far, as it had reached four of my previous addresses.

Before coming to Austin to work with the Church here, I was in mission work in Colorado again. I am leaving Austin this coming week and will move to New Mexico and be taking part in a business in Clovis. Will miss seeing all of you. Be sure and tell Ed Lee and Howard Traweek "hello" for me. Will do my best to be with you in 1978, if the Lord wills.  
Will let you know later, my mailing address. Since I saw

you last, I have been in three mission fields in the States and in Central America.  
With love to you all,  
Abe Martin.

Dear Hazel:  
How I do wish I could be there for Homecoming. There are so few of my old friends left. Their children and grandchildren do not know me, but I would love to see them! So many happy memories. Know everyone will have a wonderful time.

Best to you,  
Selbia Chalk Cullum  
Dallas, Texas

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"As of now, it looks as if we will not be able to attend Homecoming. Here is a check for our dues. Have fun!" writes Johnnie Groves Howell of Amarillo.

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From Marcia Gilbert Middlebrooks of Washington Court House, Ohio: "So sorry I won't be able to attend Homecoming this year, but my thoughts will be. I'm sure that all who do come will have a wonderful time. I really appreciate all the time and work all of you do to make these homecomings so special."

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Dear Hazel:  
Enclosed are dues and a little extra for years I have missed. Don't know yet if I will be off that week end, but will be there if possible. Thanks for all the work you do, and best of luck again this year.

Don Seigler, Perryton, Texas

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Lamesa, Texas  
Box 461

Dear Hazel:  
Enclosed is my check for \$10.00. I hope it will help with the homecoming expense this year.

I'm sorry, but it looks like I will miss the festivities again this year. However, I will be there next year for the 25th reunion of our class.  
Hazel, I appreciate your continuous hard work each year on our homecoming, and I'm sure I speak for all the exes.  
I hope everyone has a good time and best of luck to the

Matadors. Here's hoping they go all the way.  
Sincerely,  
Gary Laughlin, Class of '53  
(Gary is Vice-President and Branch Manager of SIC Credit Company in Lamesa)

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Corrales, N.M.  
P.O. Box 589

Dear Hazel:  
Enclosed are my ex-student dues for last year and this year . . . also our business card.  
There's a remote chance I might be able to attend Homecoming this year. I probably will phone you if I discover this to be possible. However, a new business like ours takes a lot of time and effort during the early months and my partner can't run it alone now - we have seven employees.

My partner is a former concert pianist and performs on the piano nightly, and does the cooking as well. I run the rest of the operation.  
Best wishes to all for Homecoming.

Tom Sanders  
(Tom has recently moved from Berkeley, Calif., to Corrales, near Albuquerque, and is in the restaurant business. He added a postscript: "We're trying to make our barbecue as good as that of (the late) Henry Pipkin.")

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From Jack Robinson Jr., Arlington, Texas: "Thank you for the Homecoming invitation. Will not make it this year. Have had tickets for the Tech-Texas game in Austin for sometime. We want to go where Susan is as much as possible, as it is her last year at Tech. Next year will be my class's 40th reunion. I hope all living members will be there. I will be there unless ill or physically unable. I do wish I could know the date by August '78, so that we can plan our fall activities then. An advanced announcement in the paper would work fine. We are all fine - stay busy and that is good for us."

"Sounds like Motley County has a great football team. I always look for their score. Hope they can win the state championship."  
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Tipton, Okla.

Dear Hazel:  
I do hope I can make it over

for our ex-students get-together. La-da-da! where does this year put me! But I'm truly thankful to be one of our 1917-18 "Rattler" gang. Loveya,  
Lilly (Guthrie) Edmondson

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From Fred and Virgie Clower, Plainview: "Hi - Have a good time for us also, if we should not be able to make it."

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"Sorry, no can do," was the brief note of regrets from Robert Wade Cagle, Mathis, Texas, Class of 1926."

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Dear Hazel and all:  
I keep hoping every year that I can go to Homecoming and every year something keeps me from attending. Keep this up long enough and maybe I can make one.

Faustena Fulfer McKinley  
El Paso, Class of '43.

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Mrs. Edna Tunnell writes from Orosi, California: "We would love to see all of you again, but just can't get away. I had an invitation to go with a group to Hawaii - but I'll stay home and imagine the trip. Biff (B.F.'s son) and Sherry have tentative plans to bring Megan Suzanne (my only great-granddaughter) to see me the week end of Homecoming. Of course I'll be here to give her a royal welcome . . . after I broke my right hand in '73 I have never played golf again. Jo, B.F.'s wife, works for Internal Revenue. They have just built a big new home in Fresno. Randy works for his dad (Bill Tunnell) and his wife, Marlena, drives a van to deliver meals to Senior Citizens. Hope you have a wonderful Homecoming."

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"I'll be there if possible. Here are my dues," writes Jettie (Cooper) Moss of Floydada.

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1507 So. High  
Brady, Texas

Dear Hazel:  
Every year we intend to send in C.B.'s dues and I neglect to do it, so here is a check to make up for a few of those years. Do hope the weather cooperates and you do have the best and most

memorable Homecoming yet. C. B. is considering attending this year.  
Sincerely,  
Martha Groves

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Dear Hazel and Debbie:  
Just a note to send our ex-student dues. We plan to be there and look forward to seeing everyone! Many thanks to those of you who plan the Homecoming activities each year. We exes appreciate you.  
Sincerely,  
Jana (Jones) Thacker,  
Class of '67.

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"Thank you so much for the information about Matador's Homecoming activities," writes Jeanette Day Robison of Lubbock. "I am excited about it this year, as I plan to attend my first homecoming since I graduated in 1971. Each year I have been disappointed because my college courses have always conflicted with the H-C schedule. But this year, nothing will stand in my way of returning home to see friends and family and the terrific football team you all have this year. I have enclosed my dues and hope to see all of you Oct. 28 and 29."

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"I thought you might need a little stamp money since it doesn't go far these days. Don't know at the present time if I'll be there for Homecoming. I always enjoy it when I do go. - Tommy Darsey Hefner, Lubbock."

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"Am so sorry I can't be there. Have a nice time! I have already made arrangements to go elk hunting. Am fine. - Arlie Carpenter, Lefors."

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"We won't be able to make the celebration on Friday, as our Jr. Higher, Karen, is marching for the (Plainview) high school football game that night with her Jr. Hi band," writes June (Spray) Wason of Plainview. "However, we do plan to be there for the day Saturday, and hope to get in a lot of good visiting. We were planning to bring Tracey Spray with us. She's Wayne and Wanda (Fisher) Spray's daughter and a freshman at

Wayland Baptist College. In phoning her, I find she's coming on down Friday night. That's when she's to meet her parents and also spend Saturday. By the way, "Colonel" Garth will be coming with Wayne and Wanda. We're looking forward to seeing you Saturday, the 29th. Thanks again, for all your hard work."

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Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hall accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hall to Lakeview, Sunday afternoon to visit their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall.

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Mrs. Frank Price visited recently in Van Horn with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Rattan and son, Dax.

## Senior Citizens Have Meeting

The Matador Senior Citizens, formerly the Sunshine Club, met October 19, in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church for their monthly luncheon and business meeting, with 11 members and 3 children present.

During the business meeting, the new club room in the old grade school building was discussed. Genie Bethard and Geri Hearn were

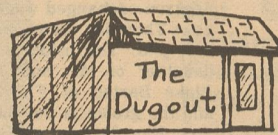
appointed to investigate the situation and determine if the club can meet there for their Thanksgiving luncheon. The report will be made later.

Those present for the meeting were Beulah Jones, Artie Wason, Mary Slover, Stella Tilson, Sallie Self, Grace and Ray Zabielski, Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Hearn, Genie Bethard, and granddaughter, Lavenia Bowden of Grand Prairie, Wallace Bethard and Sallie McBride.

The next meeting of the Senior Citizens will be held the second Tuesday in November.

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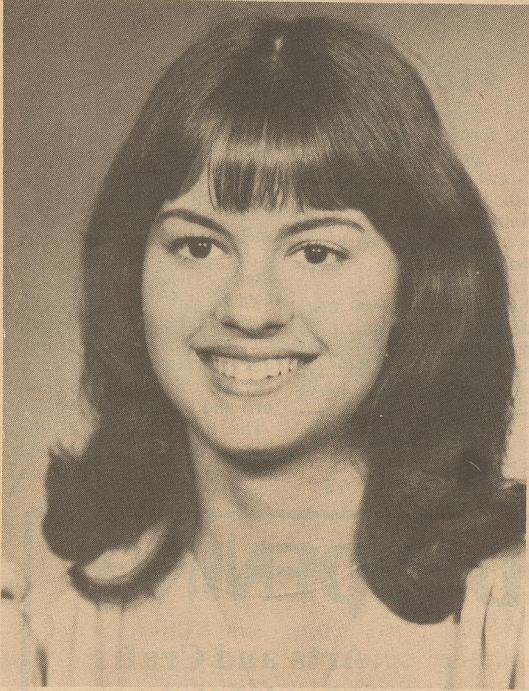
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MARIAN KAY GIESECKE

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Giesecke announce the engagement of their daughter, Marian, to James Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer of Roaring Springs. The bride-elect is a 1974 graduate of Motley County High School. The future bridegroom is a 1974 graduate of Matador High School. Both are students at West Texas State University in Canyon. A December wedding is planned.



### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Christene Barton and Dan Jackson exchanged wedding vows Thursday, October 6 at 5:30 p.m. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Barton of Floydada and the groom is the son of Mrs. Kay Jackson of Plainview.

The wedding was held in the home of Judge and Mrs. Roy Smith, with Judge Smith presiding. The bride's street length dress of yellow knit was complimented by white accessories. Her cascade bouquet was made with blue and white carnations, highlighted by babies breath and yellow love knots.

Guests attending the wedding were Mrs. Blake Barton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McFall, sister and brother-in-law of the bride,

all of Floydada and Mrs. Kay Jackson, and Susan and Jani Jackson, sisters of the groom, of Plainview.

A reception followed the wedding, held at Motley General Hospital, where the bride and groom are employed. The bride's chosen colors were white and yellow and a yellow and gold crysanthemum arrangement complimented the three tiered wedding cake. Lime green punch was served with mints and nuts.

Guests attending the reception were Dr. Y Hoang Do and Mr. and Mrs. Sut Braselton, employees of the clinic and hospital, and the wedding party.

The couple are now at home in Matador.

### Cottonseed Sold To Feed Cattle

College Station -- Cottonseed sold this year to feed cattle and not to offset ginning costs may make growers more money.

Dr. Delmer I. Davis, a livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, thinks so.

He says a cow-calf man may pay cotton growers more for their seed than a ginner.

The gin price for cottonseed closely is related to the market price for lint, and the projected market price this year about equals production costs.

Davis says whole cottonseed require little processing to be fed, contain about 20 per cent natural protein, and provide from 20 to 25 per cent more feed-energy than most commercial grain cubes containing 20 per cent more protein. Up to five pounds of cottonseed can be fed each cow per day.

He says feed-energy is critically short for a lactating cow on nearly all native ranges during the winter, the time when producers must provide supplemental energy and protein.

Whole cottonseed are also usually a good source of

phosphorus, a mineral deficient in all Texas ranges. Producers must provide it as a supplement if calf growth and cow reproduction are to be maximized.

Davis says a cattelman should consider feeding whole cottonseed when its price per pound does not exceed the price for two-fifths pound of cottonseed meal containing 41 per cent protein, plus the price for three-fifths pound of sorghum containing 10 per cent protein.

Because the feeder usually cannot buy cottonseed direct from the gin, Davis recommends that the cotton grower retain ownership of the seed even after ginning so that he may sell them later. Such direct selling, says Davis, means more sorghum grain profit because it eliminates a middleman.

Despite the advantages to feeding cottonseed, Davis says the cowman ought to be aware that the seed are harder to handle than wheat or shelled corn, require more storage space, and do not move as easily through an auger. The oil in the seed can also turn rancid if they are stored too long, particularly in a hot summer.

### When To See Your Doctor

All of us are now and then faced with a quick decision: should we, or shouldn't we see the doctor?

The American Medical Association lists several points for consideration as a general guide to help you decide whether medical aid should be sought at once --

When your complaint or symptoms are too severe to be endured, such as abdominal pain common to a gall bladder attack or appendicitis or kidney colic, or sudden chest pains. Immediate relief of pain is the purpose of getting the patient to the doctor without delay.

When an apparently minor symptom persists for more than a few days or a week, and does not appear to be due to some easily identified cause. A nose bleed from a sharp blow is one thing; a nose that bleeds constantly or frequently for no apparent reason is quite a different matter.

When the symptom returns repeatedly for no readily apparent cause. Digestive disturbances due to overindulgence are one thing; constant digestive distress despite great care and moderation in eating is another.

When in doubt, it is safer to call the doctor than to take a chance.

Many accidents around the home or yard cause bruises and scratches and minor strains that can be successfully treated at home. But some accidents require fast medical attention.

If the accident victim is

unconscious, get help fast. Also when bleeding is severe or cannot be controlled; when the victim is groggy or confused; when there are signs of shock, such as pale, cold skin, sweating and weak pulse.

Breathlessness or intensive thirst after the accident require medical attention. If there is a possible broken bone, seek help. Also for severe pain, signs of poisoning, serious burns, persistent vomiting, blurred vision.

### Beat Happy

Welcome Exes

### Student Health

Is your child having trouble keeping up his or her grades in school?

The American Medical Association points out that there may be a physical reason for the poor record.

Does the child squint, strain, rub his eyes or complain that they hurt, water or itch? Does he hold his book very close to his face when he reads? Has it been some time since his last eye examination? He may have defective vision. He may not be able to read the teacher's notes on the blackboard.

Does he often ask you to repeat a question or statements? Does he sometimes miss, or seem to miss, a point made in a movie or on television by the spoken word? Does he turn his head to one side as he listens? He may have defective hearing.

It might be as simple as impacted wax in his ears, which can be removed by your physician in a simple office procedure. Of course, the inattentive child may have no hearing problem at all. Children known we will repeat the question or instruction, thus encouraging a habit of not listening.

Has he had an infection, disease or accident whose effects may be lingering on? Is there a possibility that poor nutrition may be holding him back? He may be eating considerable quantities of food and still be undernourished, if he eats improperly, or if his tastes in food are too limited.

If your child isn't performing properly in his school work, ask yourself whether it is time for an examination to determine whether his problems are caused by a physical problem that might be corrected.

### Hospital Admittance To Be Rationed

Hospital beds and services will be rationed if Department of Health, Education and Welfare (DHEW) proposed "standards" are adopted.

So said O. Ray Hurst, President, Texas Hospital Association (THA) Austin, as he described the DHEW proposals published in the Federal Register on September 23, 1977.

Hurst went on to point out that these proposed regulations mean that within five years Texas will be required to reduce the number of hospital beds by approximately 17,500.

Hurst stated that "such loss of beds coupled with previously announced ceilings on allowable patient days means that one in every four patients that needs to be admitted to a hospital will be turned away."

He pointed out that this will be accomplished by forcing the closure of entire hospitals or portions of hospitals.

The proposed guidelines as published will require hospitals to have an occupancy rate of at least 80 per cent over all. Also a hospital must have, in order to maintain obstetrics services, a minimum of 500 deliveries per year (2,000 in or near cities over 100,000). Hospitals will be required to comply with special restrictions on open heart surgery, cancer therapy, renal dialysis and cardiac diagnostic procedures. In addition, there are geographic restrictions on

services that are available to a community within 45 minutes travel time.

Hurst pointed out that "a part of the stated purpose of these proposed guidelines is to reduce health care cost while improving the care of patients, yet no consideration is given to the medical needs of the community. The THA Statewide Hospital Productivity Center that has been in operation for two (2) years has saved Texas patients over \$100 million dollars. This type of voluntary system could be used as an example of efficiency by the private sector without Federal mandates for limiting and rationing of quality health care."

DHEW is giving the public, hospitals and physicians until November 22, 1977, to comment on these proposals. Comments will be received by Health Resources Administration, Room 10-22, 3700 East-West Highway, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782.

Hurst said "THA is encouraging all persons interested in the continued availability in Texas of quality health care to respond to these proposed limitations. Although these proposals are from the bureaucrats, no doubt U.S. Senators and Congressmen will be interested in the public's views on these limitations and the rationing of health care."

THA is the Austin based trade association of hospitals in Texas with over 700 institutional members.

### Carbon Monoxide A Silent Killer

A silent killer may be loose in your home.

The criminal is carbon monoxide -- CO -- a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas produced every time carbon-containing material burns.

The American Medical Association points out that CO combines with blood 200 times more easily than oxygen. If you breathe air containing a normal amount of oxygen and a moderate amount of carbon monoxide, your blood will be starved for oxygen. When blood cannot supply oxygen to your brain, permanent brain damage or death may result.

Dangerous quantities of CO accumulate when a cool, slow fire burns in limited air space. Since you can't see, smell or taste it, the gas is hard to detect except by your symptoms -- drowsiness, headache, tightness across the forehead, confusion, nausea and muscular weakness. CO poisoning may confuse you so that you cannot reach fresh air to relieve the symptoms and prevent serious injury.

To prevent a carbon

monoxide attack in your home --

Have all heating systems checked annually for operating efficiency. Make sure that vents, pipes, flues and chimneys are tight.

Make certain your heating plant is not starved for air. Be sure that all heating devices designed for venting are properly vented to the outside.

Provide additional fresh air for charcoal grills and hibachis used indoors. Better still, don't use these charcoal cookers inside.

Never tamper with ducts or vents of a heating device to get more heat out of it.

Be sure that heating devices have been tested by a reputable firm. Follow the manufacturer's recommendations for installation and use.

When changing types of fuel, ask a qualified serviceman to adjust all appliances involved.

Don't close your fireplace damper until you are certain the fire is entirely burned out.

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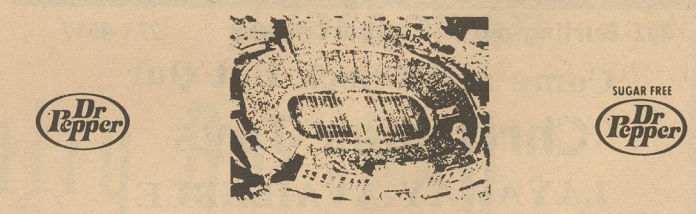
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# HOMECOMING

## HOMECOMING SCHEDULE

Thursday, October 27:

8:00 p.m. Bonfire, VFW Grounds

Friday, October 28:

1:30 p.m. Registration, visiting and coffee at the High School.

4:30 p.m. Pep Rally, High School Gym.

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Soup and Chili [Homemade] sponsored by Methodist Sunday School Class for Building Fund.

Football Sweetheart to Be Crowned before game.

7:30 p.m. Motley County Matadors vs. Happy Cowboys, at Burleson Field

Saturday, October 29:

9:30 a.m. Registration, coffee, donuts and visiting at the school. Class Reunions During the Day.

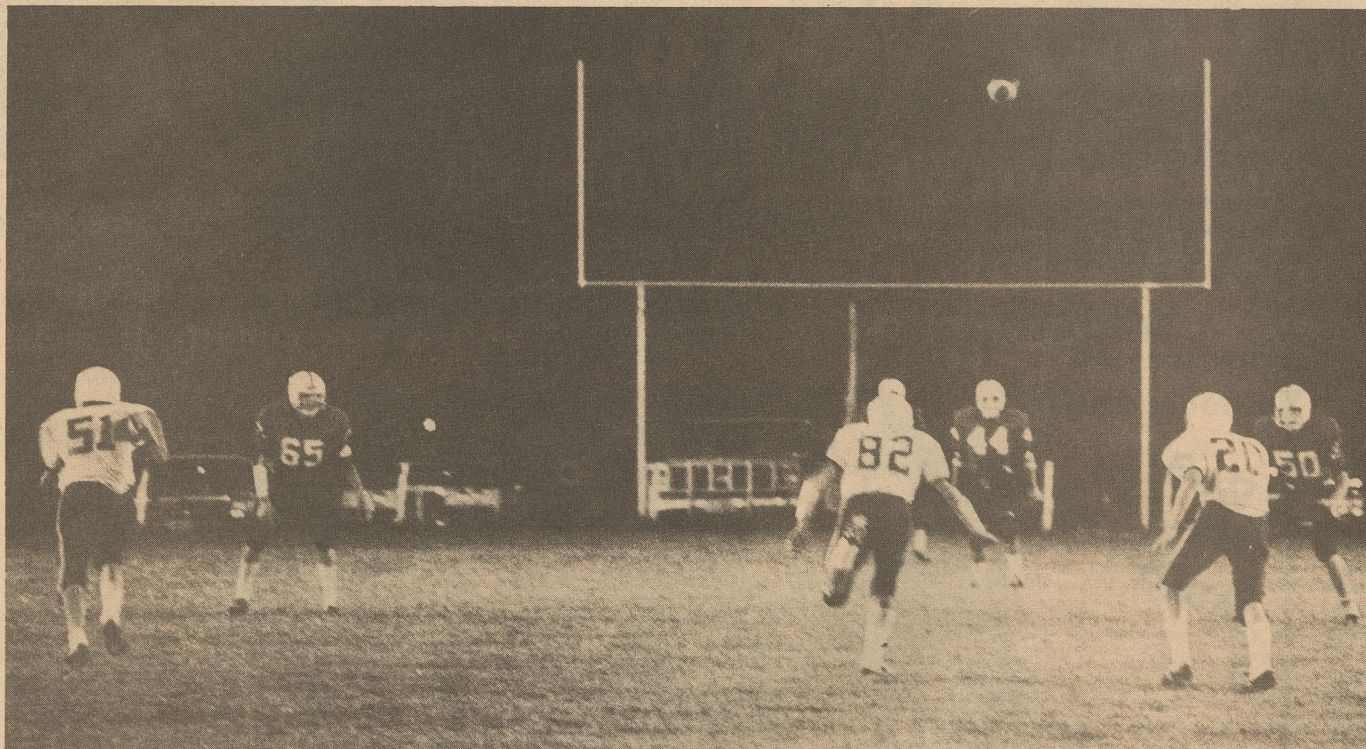
3:00 p.m. Business meeting and program and election of Homecoming Queen.

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Barbecue supper, School Cafeteria. Tickets available at the door.

9:00 p.m. till 1:00 a.m. Dance at VFW Building

Couples \$5.00 Singles \$3.00

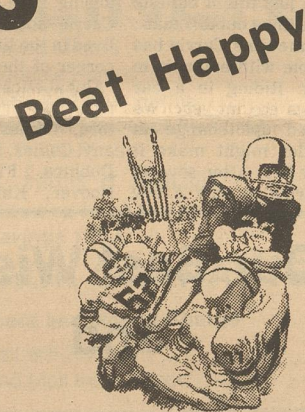
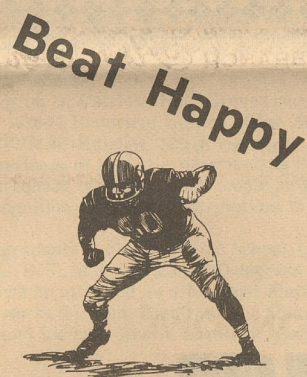
Exes and Their Parents



Good Kick!! -- These photos were made at the Homecoming game in 1975 by Robert Brandon.

# Motley County Matadors VS Happy Cowboys

Friday, October 28, 1977  
Burleson Field  
7:30 p.m.



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## Letter To Northfield

Unable to attend Northfield Homecoming the first Saturday in October, a former teacher, A. B. Henderson of Floral, Ark., wrote to Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays expressing his and his wife's sentiments toward the community. The letter, in part, is as follows:

Dear former and present citizens of Northfield:

Carrie and I are always grateful for the many happy and instructive experiences that were ours during the brief period that you were our immediate neighbors and friends, and it is with much regret that we find it necessary to substitute this letter for our presence with you today.

Every year, as the month of October approaches, we recall the homecoming celebration we enjoyed so much with you a few years back, and we fondly begin to dream -- and even plan -- about being part of it next year. But in the back of our minds is the disturbing realization that we are now a year older than we were last October, and year younger than we will be next October. So it appears, when we think soberly, that we may have let too many Octobers pass us by.

"Time and tide wait for no man." Just where that bit of information originated, I have forgotten (along with a lot of other things) if I ever knew. But I'm confident no teenager figured it out. It is a bit of stern and mature admonition that would be somewhat difficult for youngsters to understand -- and why should he? But, for one who passed the three-score and 15 milestone, the message is easy to "dig."

Now, maybe I'd do well to get back on the track. We were discussing the homecoming in October. Well, early in this year, back in May, we acquired a better car, with the faint -- very faint idea that, come autumn, we just might be able to ride the thing out to Texas.

For some time Carrie has had trouble with arthritis in her back. Riding in a car aggravates the malady. We had hoped the change in automobiles might make it easier for her. After several shorter trips of only a few

hours duration, we find that travel still causes her a lot of pain. So we think our decision not to try to make the trip is a sensible one.

I might as well go ahead and admit that there is something else in the way. I am gradually shrinking -- down to 125 lbs. even when I'm all dressed up. My wife reminded me the main reason we came away from West Texas was those terrible sandstorms and how hard the wind could blow.

Nevertheless, we are with you today in memory of many of the most rewarding experiences of all our combined seventy-six years of teaching.

One of our first exciting and inspiring impressions came with the discovery of a sense of pride and loyalty shown by practically everybody in Northfield, students and parents alike, in and toward the school and all its activities.

Early in that first year, we (though Carrie wasn't teaching then) were introduced to the Interscholastic League organization. I remember -- with some embarrassment -- my lack of enthusiasm . . . the convincing performances of our many students in that first meet, both literary and athletic was, in itself, quite an education for me. And, Carrie and I became a part of the most alive and cooperative school system, large or small, that we have ever been privileged to work with . . . the almost continuous 100 per cent cooperation from school board and parents, we still marvel at and appreciate, and the manner in which our contestants continued to acquit themselves was reflected in honors and awards they brought home.

Now, I should like to enumerate the family names of all parents and (or) grandparents whose homes supplied the fine, inspiring group of boys and girls who made up the student body during the happy years Carrie and I and the boys lived in the little house on the corner of the campus.

Alphabetically, as recalled from memory: Adams, Ashford, Baines, Berry, Bethany, Collins, Cox, Chambliss, Dobbins, Florence, Hays, Hoover, Kincannon, King,

Leary, Martin, Matlock, McDonald, Moore, Nimmo, Simpson, Sewell, Tate, Tipton, Timmons, Thomas, Thompson, Warren, Dayton Wright, "Fuzzy" Myers, "Frankie Boy" and "Cussin'" Patterson.

I must not close without a feeble attempt at a fitting tribute to each of two very special people, "Miss" Mae, and Travis (Mutt) McDonald.

As housekeeper, and mother for our two boys, Miss Mae became almost immediately, one of the family . . . she was, in person, and remains in memory, an inspiration to better Christian living.

Travis McDonald (Mutt), I grope for words, to even begin to express the intense admiration that developed in me for Travis as I watched him grow and develop. Mature, from the first, far beyond his years, in attitude and habits toward responsibility to parents, teachers, classmates. First to volunteer for any task that needed to be done -- and unwilling to leave a task not finished. Always willing to sacrifice for others, never complaining -- he gave all he had, even his life for his country.

Sincerely,

A. B. Henderson

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Footnote:

The Northfield Common School District No. 9 was organized July 28, 1906 and was dissolved August 19, 1957 by the State Department of Education because the school had fallen below the 15 scholastics required for eligibility. A consolidation was effected with Matador Independent School District, and the students have been bussed here since that year.

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### Whiteflat News

Mrs. H. R. Jameson  
Pho (806) 469-5274

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tilson and daughter, Elizabeth of Houston visited from Friday until Monday with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. W. R. Tilson. Mrs. Stella Tilson of Matador visited the family, Saturday.

Claudia Matney attended to business in Lubbock, last Monday and visited his daughter, Mrs. Wanda Crowley.

Mrs. Janice Dixon and Spencer attended the funeral services for H. Thurman Tooke in Memphis last Tuesday. They also visited in Hedley with Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Tooke and family.

Lance Jameson is attending to business in Dallas this week. His brother, Shannon Jameson, accompanied him to Lubbock, Sunday, where he made the trip by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spray returned to their home in Pecos, Friday after visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spray.

Mrs. Pete Jones of Henri-

ta visited overnight Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner and Heather Ann, Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Montague of Silverton.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon of Post.

Mrs. Ralph Stapleton visited in Flomot, Friday with Mrs. Harley Gunn.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stephens were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon of Hereford and Mrs. Joe Stephens of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice and children in Plainview, Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewis and children of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Art

Green of Flomot and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green of Plainview.

Visiting from Sunday until Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitaker and sons was her great aunt, Mrs. Grace Best of Lubbock. Her mother, Mrs. Cora Thompson of Paducah visited the family, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Ralph Stapleton visited in Matador, Sunday with Mrs. Ben Keltz. She also visited Alfred Martin of Flomot and Mrs. Albert Daffern, patients in the Motley General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbreth in Sundown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bevers of Amarillo were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jameson and Melba, Sunday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jennings this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flowers, Jay and Jeff of Aspermont and Tim Jennings of Old Glory.

Brent Whitaker and friend, Taresa Reece of Oklahoma City, Okla., students at South Plains College in Levelland, were week end guests of his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitaker and Bert.

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RECENT TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Claudia Matney returned home Monday from a ten day trip that included fishing at Lake Hubbard near Breckenridge, Lake Pinto and Granbury Lake. They also visited in Glen Rose with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tipton, Chad and Shane. En route home they visited his mother, Mrs. C. A.

Matney and aunt, Mrs. Rosa Millican in Paducah.

Mrs. Stella Tilson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. M. G. Bevard, was in Lubbock Monday for an medical appointment.

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LOCKNEY ONCE BEAT MATADOR 90 TO 0

The late B. F. Tunnell, former superintendent of Matador schools once declared that the Lockney football squad defeated the local eleven by a score of 90 to nothing, the first year he was superintendent here in 1929.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Green of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Goodwin of Afton and Joe Fair, local resident.

## Welcome Ex-Students and Teachers

Beat  
Happy



EARLY SCHOOL GROUP - Pupils who attended the old Darden Canyon School, Southeast of Roaring Springs, in 1919 are shown here. They are (back row left to right) Otto Gannon, Archie Kennedy, Claude Groves, Odell Kingery,

Algie Groves, Claud Stearns. (Front row left to right): H. L. Winter, Clarence Groves, Clarence Gannon, Noble Groves, C. B. Groves J. T. and Dutch Atkinson.

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REUNION - Twenty members of the Class of 1936, Matador High School were present last year at a reunion of the 1935-36-37 classes. Shown are (back row from left): Hazel Elliothorp Markham, Beryl Blackshear, R. E. Campbell Jr., C. M. Barton Jr., Alfred Barton Jr., J. D. Allen, Albert Willis, Harold Campbell, Raby Webb, Bebe Gates, Geneva Cooper Griffin and Camilla Wilkinson Strickland. Front row, from left: Virginia Edmondson Hoyle, Grace Keltz Campbell, Lucretia Estes Campbell, Bertha Casstevens Jones, teacher, Sibyl Daffern Timmons, Addie Lee Lawrence Wisdom, Louise Hall Dorsey and Dorothy Fulfer Phifer. --Photo by Gerald Garst



REUNION - Members of the class of 1937, Matador High School who were together at Homecoming last year were, (back row from left): Carl King, R. V. Heller, Lawrence Rattan, France Barton, L. B. Campbell, Furman Vinson, Robert J. Gilmer and Cecil Ray. Seated, from left: Marjoria Moore Harper, Lorene Fryar Calhoun, teacher, Billie Lawrence Koon, and Ava Clyde Smart Crump. --Photo by Gerald Garst



REUNION - Only four members from Matador High School Class of 1935 were present for a reunion at last year's Homecoming. They were, standing, Levi Wilkinson and Boyd Perkins; seated left, Mary Anna Woods Sewalt and Mary Echols West. --Photo by Gerald Garst

FROM PAGE ONE ....  
BANQUET HELD

Stafford stressed the importance of setting realistic goals in life and striving to attain these goals. "To be happy in life," he said, "there are three things we must do." "First, stay busy. In being busy, be productive and finally, like yourself." Stafford closed by saying whatever you do in life, learn to do that job better than anyone else. "Be useful to other people and you will live a happier life, unhappy people think only of themselves."

County Agent Pallmeyer was in charge of presentation of awards, made by various individuals, and expressed appreciation to the sponsors and everyone who had a part in preparing for the banquet.

Honorary members of 4-H were recognized, and are Joe Ike Clay, Sid McFall, Boyce Hart, Sonny Russell, Mrs. Donna Thompson and Max Barton.

Leader of the Year Awards were presented to Mrs. Donna Thompson and Max Barton and seven other adult 4-H leaders received awards as follows: Mrs. Pauline Hand, Mrs. Lee Peacock, Mrs. Mable Barrett, Reece Timmons and Doc Taylor, 10 years and Mrs. Tommie Cruse and Ray Cruse, 15 years.

Karl Pallmeyer was winner for the best Junior Record Book and Shannon Jameson was winner for the Best Senior Record Book. Watches were received by these winners and donated by the Roaring Springs Lions Club and the Motley County Farm Bureau.

Other award winners and sponsors will be published at a later date.

From Page One  
GROVES NAMED . . .

The two other Groves sons are also successful businessmen. Mr. and Mrs. James Truman (Jim) Groves are new owners of Business and Professional Insurance Agency, Inc., of Pasadena, Calif., the company with which Jim has been associated since leaving service in the Korean War. Their home is in Arcadia, Calif. He is a 1949 graduate of Matador High School.

Morton D. Patrick (Pat) Groves recently was selected for the 1976-77 Historical Edition of the American Biographical Institute of Raleigh, North Carolina. The edition, Notable Americans of 1976-77 is described as "a unique biographical sourcebook of outstanding people so honored each year in recognition of notable contributions to the American way of life."

A graduate of Matador High School, class of 1957, Pat has a B.A., B.S., M.S.E.E. and PhD degrees from Rice University, where he attended as a National Merit Scholarship winner. He works for Rolm Electronics in Mountain View, Calif., and he and his wife live in Saratoga, Calif.

From Page One  
ICC SAYS . . .

Keyes issued her ruling following hearings conducted in Paducah, Tex., Nov. 8-12, 1976.

The railroad filed exceptions to the decision, and among other things, claimed the need for rail transportation by area shippers had been exaggerated.

ICC, in serving notice of its ruling, indicated that the railroad's presumption had been rebutted and that the railroad did not prove the burden outweighed that which would have been imposed in the community if abandonment was authorized.

--Wichita Falls Record News

Texas households headed by mothers with children under 18 have nearly doubled in 10 years, from 103,641 in 1960 to 192,322 in 1970. Source: "The Darker Side of Childhood," published in 1974 by the Texas Department of Community Affairs, Office of Early Childhood Development.

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The average annual income of Texas families headed by women in 1969 was about half that of all families--\$5,360 for female-headed households compared to \$9,955 for all households. Source: "The Darker Side of Childhood," published in 1974 by the Texas Department of Community Affairs, Office of Early Childhood Development.

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To Present Program

The Childress Chapter of The United Daughters of the Confederacy and the Sarah Elizabeth Underwood Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, will present a program, Sunday, October 30 at 2:00 p.m. in the Calvary Baptist Church, Childress.

Several local youths will be participating in this program. Kyle (Bubba) Hardin, 3rd vice president of the Texas Division, Children of the Confederacy, will present the Creed, tell of the plans of the Children of C. of C., and present the winners of essays to the President, Roijon Adams for awards.

Color guards for the program will be Kyle and Kody Hardin, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hardin and Wade Vandiver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Vandiver, all of Matador, along with Brett Cheatam, David Landry and Mike Baker.

The public is extended an invitation to attend the program of Bestowal of Military Crosses and all descendants of Confederate soldiers are especially urged to attend and pay tribute to their heritage.

GED Center Open

The Crosbyton GED Center will be open each Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in Room 1 of the Crosbyton High School. GED tests are for persons 18 years or older or 17 year olds who have been out of school for one year. Proof of identification and social security numbers must be presented prior to testing.

The GED consists of five subtests at a fee of \$3.00 each. One subtest is recommended per night.

Persons wishing additional information may contact Mrs. Fusselman at the school 675-2201 or at home 675-2231.

Before buying a bicycle child carrier, try to examine it installed on a bike. Place the child on one seat and make sure the child's feet won't be too near the spokes. This warning is from Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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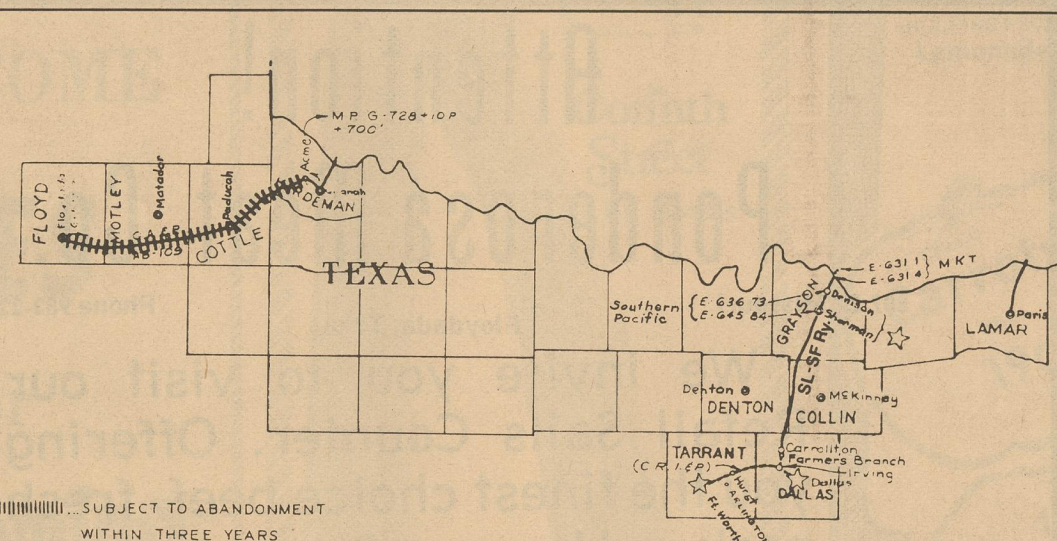
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road upon which it is anticipated an abandonment application will be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission within three years. Interested parties may be furnished a color-coded or black and white copy of the Quanah, Acme and Pacific Railway Company System Map at a reasonable cost. Requests for a System Diagram Map should be forwarded to Mr. J. H. Brown, St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company, 906 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101.

Tractor Firm  
Has Opening

Plainview Ford Tractor Inc. will have Open House activities Thursday, Friday and Saturday at their 2109 E. 5th location.

Open House hours will be from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 8-12 Saturday morning. Doughnuts and coffee will be served and door prizes will probably be given during the activities, according to new owner Eddie Morton, who is also doubling as manager.

"We just want to welcome everybody out to see our new tractors," said Morton, who took over operations on September 15. The business formerly has been known as Jim Williams Ford Tractors. Morton, 40, has lived in Plainview area off and on for the past 14 years. He spent one year in Amarillo with the Ford Co., and for two years he was manager of Midwest Grain.

He and his wife, Dorothy, have two sons, Eddie, 17 and Ricky 8.

Boys Scouts  
Sell Tickets

Cubs, Scouts and Explorers in Lubbock and the surrounding 20 counties begin selling tickets for the 1977 edition of the Annual Scout Show.

Billed as "Wonderful World of Scouting," this years show is to be staged at the Lubbock Civic Center and Plainview Hale County Building from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday, November 12. This show promises to be the best ever.

According to Larry Cunningham, 77 chairman and Lubbock City Manager, the show should draw a crowd in excess of 10,000 spectators.

The "Wonderful World of Scouting," theme is being

used nation wide to help local Packs, Troops and Posts have a stronger program in their local unit, district and council.

Jim McKay, nationally known sports caster, is serving as chairman for the

nation wide event. Tickets for the November show are \$1.00 each and may be purchased from Cubs, Scouts and Explorers.

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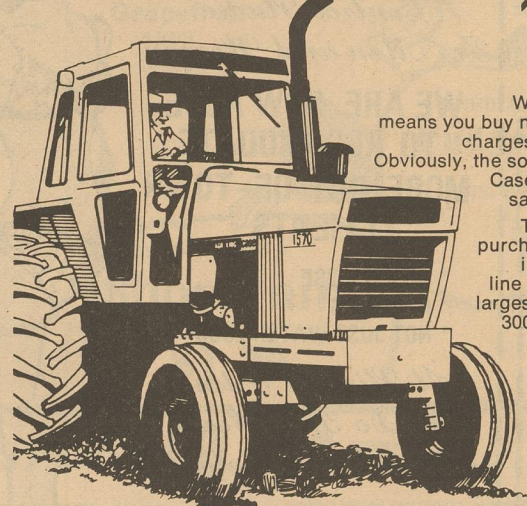
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## Many Homecoming Letters Returned Predicta Study Club Meets

Following is a partial list of the Homecoming letters returned to the secretary, Mrs. Hazel Donovan:

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2546 Merrill Road, Dallas; Mrs. Lewis Mullins (Justine Rattan) 1082 Craft Rd. No. 3, Memphis, Tenn.; Ida Lee Bryant, Box 1845, College Station, Tex.; L. J. Hardin Jr., Box 468, Cambridge, Ohio; Mrs. Ronald Corkins (Doris Cooper) 9030 W. 65th Ave., Arvada, Colo.; Bonner Nelson, Tangent, Ore.; Mrs. W. C. Fuller, 4424 Dickason St., Dallas, Tex.;

Boyd R. Willett, 105 Fillmore St., Denver, Colo.; Frank E. (Buddy) Davis, 2502 De Witt, Irving, Tex.; Mrs. Carl Cooper, (Margaret Cornett) 905 Galveston, Plainview, Texas; Mrs. Christene (Damon) Aldridge, 2521 Cornell Ave., Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. Jackie King (Gail McWilliams) 623 Dennis, De Soto, Tex.; Mrs. Weldon Guthrie, 1024 S. 16th, Chickasha, Okla.; Charles Dunlap, Rt. 1, Box 141-C, Kerrville, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cruise, Rt. 1, Box 233, Plainview;

Mrs. Willis Nels (Claudia Brandon), Pampa, Texas; Dr. W. C. Jones, 900 Christene, Pampa, Texas; Estel Mize, 1258 San Jose Dr., Abilene, Tex.; Mrs. F. O. Shrewsbury (Royella Browning) 5619 Vickie Dr., Wichita Falls, Tex.; Mrs. E. B. Noel (Ruth Simpson), Rt. Plainview, Tex.; L. C. Giesecke, Spring, Tex.; Antone Freeman, 111 Ocean Drive, Richardson, Tex.; Mrs. Bess Morriss Williams, 543 S. Davis, Sulphur Springs, Tex.; Mrs. Alan Bentz (Yvonne Simpson) Rt. 2, Floresville, Tex.; Mrs. Glenda (Nelson) Brock, Rockwall, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis, 2205 Dewitt, Irving, Tex.

### Lance's Toro by Lance Jameson

I have been involved in a variety of situations during my short life span, but recently when in a town about the size of Matador, I had a new experience that was amusing and thought provoking.

I drove into this service station and inquired where Sycamore Street was. The congenial attendant pushed back his cap and scratched his head, "I know there is a Sycamore Street here, but I can't tell you where it is!" When I asked if he were a new resident of this town, he replied, "Nope, I've lived here almost fifty years, but they just put up these new street signs ten years ago and since I know where everyone lives, I don't pay any attention to them." He continued, "What is the name of the people you want to see and I'll give you the directions."

"Thanks," I said with anticipation that I was going to reach my destination, I would appreciate knowing where the John Smith Jr., residence is." With a big smile, he boomed, "Yeah, Johnnie lives across the street from Joe Blow." I stammered, "Joe Blow?" "Sure thing," he laughed, "He's the son of Tom Blow. Tom lives in the north part of town in a yellow stucco house next to Tom Jones. Yes sir, two Toms live side by side!"

Being on a tight schedule, when I asked the location of the City Hall, his affirmative reply was, "Just two blocks from here on the right side of the road. Right in the middle of our BIG TOWN!" I couldn't help but wonder how I would react under similar circumstances if someone asked me for a street address in Matador. I might even "throw in" a little town family history along with my directions to at Matador residence. Who knows??

An "unschoolish" approach to math may help, suggests Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "Weigh or measure fruits and vegetables, count window panes, multiply one times the number of family members to find the dinner count, or find the number of square feet in the carpet," the specialist suggests.

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### Class Has Reunion

Members of the Patton Springs Class of 1967 held a tenth-year reunion Saturday, October 22 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robin Darsey, in conjunction with homecoming activities of Patton Springs School.

Class members and their families attending were Mary Kay (Baker) and Bill Middleton and their children, Stephen and Ryan of Dickens; Judy (Hale) and Don Braly of Seagraves; Beverly (Bridge) and Robin Darsey of Matador and Joe Slaton of View, Texas.

Also attending the reunion were Jane and Gary Bridge and their son, Clayt, of Afton.

Recreational and leisure type apparel are increasingly among the foremost wardrobe priorities, says Becky Culp, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.

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To separate cake and cakepan, rotate the pan so that weight is balanced on each side, says Foods and Nutrition Specialist Marilyn Haggard, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "The cake will loosen by its own weight," Miss Haggard says.

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And Reece in his kerchief and I in my cap  
had just settled down for a nerve-relaxing nap.

When out on the lawn, there rose such a clatter  
I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter.

The moon on the breast of the new fallen snow  
Gave a lustre of mid-day to objects below.

Down on the lawn knee-deep in the snow  
was Coach Bradshaw in pajamas running to and fro.

He was waving and screaming in the cold night air.  
I could see at a glance he was having a nightmare.

He thought it was tonight and he was playing the game.  
It was all make-believe, but to him it was the same.

The words that he said drifted up to my ear  
Some that he said, I'll give to you here.

"Stafford get in there Carry that ball;  
Hit that man, Scaff, make him fall!

"Bearden, you are to block, get your mind  
off the pep squad and quit watching that clock.

"Steen - what's the matter you are to catch that pass  
not stand there and watch it hit the grass

"Thrasher - hit that man and hit 'im soon -  
the man on the field - NOT the man in the moon."

It went on and on, too lengthy to tell.  
Finally his wife came to the door and rang the bell.

I heard him exclaim, ere they went out of sight:  
'I've played my game; You boys play yours tonight!'

(By Grace Timmons . . . Tribune issue Nov. 21, 1957)

The second meeting of the Predicta Study Club for the 1977-78 year was held October 20, at the Roaring Springs Depot.

Miss Lula Swim gave the devotional and the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. B. L. Peacock. In the absence of the secretary, the roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting read by Mrs. Tommy Wilson. A short business meeting was held and it was decided that

### Roaring Springs News Methodists Host Luncheon

The Roaring Springs Methodist Church had their bring-a-dish luncheon at the home of Miss Lula Swim, Sunday, October 16. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Forbis, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Marshall, Roy Springer, W. D. Lipscomb, Matador, Mrs. Bea Sedgwick, Mrs. M. S. Thacker, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clifton, Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Hearn and son, Johny, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell.

members will bring gifts as a contribution to the Mental Hospital in Vernon, to their next meeting, which will be held at the Depot: on November 17.

The program was a review on the book, "The Grass is Greener Over the Septic Tank," given by Miss Freda Keahey. After the review a social hour was enjoyed, with Mesdames Dudley Allen and Ted Sedgwick as hostesses. Present in addition to those mentioned was Mrs. R. C. Clem.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moore were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Toots Hall of Big Spring and their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fulton and Autumn of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Tom Yeates visited her sister, Mrs. Opal Holenback and niece, Mrs. Silas Hohn in Aspermont, Friday.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradford were her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Newman of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hinson and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Lefevre were in Paducah recently to attend memorial services for Bertha Overstreet Crumpton who passed away in Quannah Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Both Mr. Crumpton and his deceased

wife were lifelong friends of Mrs. Freeman. After the services in Methodist Church Paducah, interment was in Quannah Memorial Park.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Shook of Iowa Park was a Tuesday visitor of her uncle and aunt, John and Bess Ferguson.

Mrs. Lula Swim, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Swim of Plainview, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Swim, Miss Cindy Swim and Mrs. W. C. King in Fort Worth, during the week end. They were met there by Mr. and Mrs. James Swim and Jason of Pine Bluff, Ark. The group visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Alderson and Mrs. Ruby Echols of Plano and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Alderson and Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and family, of Dallas, Leslie Swim and Mrs. Clyde Fox of Vernon.

his brothers, Ross and Kelly Odell and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins, on Saturday.

**AT GRAND CHAPTER**  
In El Paso this week attending Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Vinson and Mesdames W. F. Jacobs, Robert Darsey and W. N. Pipkin.

**TO FARWELL**  
Mrs. W. F. Jacobs, last week assisted her daughter, Miss Laura Jacobs, in moving to Farwell, where she has assumed duties with the County Extension Service.

**RETURNS FROM VISIT**  
Mrs. Ernest Fisher has returned home from a recent visit in El Paso with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher and family. She accompanied her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas of Garland and they all drove to Cloudcroft, on Saturday, to spend the night. As they started home Sunday, they had a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison in

Ruidoso and also visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas left Matador Monday morning to return to their home. Also visiting Mrs. Fisher recently were her other daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spray of Bowie, who were en route to Plainview to visit their daughter, Tracey, who is a student at Wayland Baptist College.

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### Flomot News

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Mr. and Mrs. Tim Washington and son Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks, Cory and Cary and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Cody and Lance of Silverton were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean Washington, Sunday. The gathering was in honor of Mrs. Washington's birthday.

Tom Ross attended to business in Plainview on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Johnson of Floydada were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson and daughters, Lucretia and Kayla.

Sunday visitors in the L. D. Bilberry home were their daughters, Mrs. Jean Richardson of Snyder, Mrs. Nicki Patrick of Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Nance of Silverton were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Browning, Lee Jay and Del Rae. Rev. Nance conducted Sunday services at the Church of Christ in Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bond have recently returned from a week vacation. They visited with Mrs. Bond's mother, Mrs. Mae Ellis of Teague, Texas and an aunt, Mrs. Dee Guest and Murry Myers of Strawn. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shelton of Hockley, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig of Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Burkett of Blooming Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jackson of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Martin of Whiteflat were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Green and Steve, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Muggs Lyles and Mrs. W. E. Lyles visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Calvert, Gwen, Glenn, and Sherrilyn and Keith Cook, Thursday night.

Mrs. Stanley Degan and daughters, Shay and Shawna of Calgary visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie, Sunday.

Ronnie Rogers and sons, Richard and Randy of Lubbock visited Saturday

with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie.

#### STARKEYS HOST FAMILY REUNION

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Jackie Starkey gathered at her home for a reunion Saturday and Sunday. It was the first time in fourteen years they had all been together. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moon of Colorado Springs, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moon, Cindy, Vickie, Neal Paul and Misty Dawn of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moon and Terry of Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reid, T.C. and Christy of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Matthews of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Holland, Aaron and Chase of Littlefield; Rodney Hammonds, Harrold, Diane, Robin and Bridget of Tulia and Michael Starkey of Amarillo.

Mr. Dan Kingston visited in Plainview with Mrs. Rebecca Truett in the home of her son, John Truett. Mrs. Truett has been ill, but is doing much better. Mrs. Kingston also visited with Mrs. J. C. Franks, who has been a patient in Central Plains Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monk visited with Mr. Monk's sister, Mrs. Lula Huddleston of the Leisure Lodge Nursing Home in Childress Sunday.

Recent visitors in the A. D. Moseley home were Mr. Moseley's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moseley of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams of Beaumont. Mrs. Ikie Gilbert and Mrs. Wilburn Martin attended Running Water Draw Arts and Crafts Festival in Plainview, Friday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Franks has been released from the Central Plains Hospital in Plainview and has taken up residency in the Plainview Convalescent Center.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones visited with Luther Turner in the Wood Nursing and Convalescent Center in Paducah, recently.

Mrs. Alice Montoya of Albuquerque, New Mexico arrived in Lubbock Saturday, and visited with her nieces, Susan and Anita Hunter before continuing to Flomot, where she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter. She was accompanied to Flomot by Anita

Hunter, and will remain here for a few days before returning to Albuquerque. Dinner guests in the Wayne Hunter home Sunday included their daughter, Anita of Lubbock, L. D. Billber, Mrs. Alice Montoya, Rev. Bill Mason of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. John Speer of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Speer were celebrating their 75th wedding anniversary and Rev. Mason held Sunday services at the First Baptist Church in Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhoads and Ricky of Borger were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shorter. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Christy, Cindy and Keri.

#### ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Thacker visited during the week end with her mother, Mrs. Cora Mitchell in Amarillo, where they met her brothers and sisters for a family reunion. The group included Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Clyde) Nichols of Blythe, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Mitchell of Ardmore, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Dell Mitchell, Ryan and Curt of Trinidad, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff (June) Lowrance, Amarillo, and Dan Lowrance and Zoe Renner of Amarillo. Joining the family were longtime friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Utley of Charlotte, N.C., former Amarillo residents.

#### RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne returned home recently from an extended trip with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Payne of Shamrock. They left Sept. 8

en route to Niagara Falls, Canada and stopped along the way in every state to visit things of interest. These included Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Michigan, and into Canada where they enjoyed the falls from both sides. They returned via New York, Penn., Maryland and Washington, D.C., Virginia, Tennessee, (visited Grand Ole Opera) Arkansas and Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ballard of Snyder visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullins, Ross and Kelly Odell.

#### COUNTY AGENT SAYS

This may be the year to feed cottonseed to cattle rather than selling at the gin. Use this figure to determine which is the most profitable. "The price per ton of cottonseed vs the price of 800 lbs. of 41 per cent cottonseed meal, plus the price of 1200 lbs. of maize."

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#### School News

**4-H OFFICERS ELECTED**  
On October 10 the High School girls 4-H Club met and elected officers as follows: President, Tanya Simpson; vice-president, Glouris Sims, Secretary - Treasurer, Pansy Moore and Reporter, Pam Francis.

The Motley County Jr. High Mavericks won their game last week against the Valley football team.

Monday night many youth were participating in the 4-H Awards Banquet, held in the school gymnasium.

All of the older students have been busy this week in preparation for Homecoming. Freshmen have been collecting cardboard boxes

for the bon fire that will be held Thursday night (tonight). Sophomores made the Cowboy dummy which will be thrown into the bonfire. The pep club, led by president, Shelley Seigler, decorated the building, while the cheerleaders decorated the gym and the queen's car. Each class has made a special sign for the big pep rally to be held Friday at 4:30 p.m.

#### School Menu

**Monday, October 31:**  
Bar-B-Que Chicken on Bun, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Fruit, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

**Tuesday, November 1:**  
Texas Hash, Ranch Style Beans, Turnip Greens, Hot Roll, Butter, Pudding, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

**Wednesday, November 2:**  
Fried Chicken, Cream Gravy Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Butter, Syrup, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

**Thursday, November 3:**  
Frito Pie, Tomato Slice, Pickles, Celery Sticks, Jello,

1/2 Pt. Milk.  
**Friday, November 4:**  
Beef Stew with Potatoes, Onions, and Mixed Vegetables, Crackers, Peanut Butter and Crackers, Cinnamon Rolls, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my gratitude to all my friends and family for all the nice things you did for me during my stay in Caprock Hospital. The flowers, visits, telephone calls and gifts were all deeply appreciated.

My special thanks to Dr. Ochoa, Dr. Jordan and the entire hospital staff for their concern and kind attention. May God bless each of you for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely,  
Mollie Burleson (1)

#### Welcome Exes

**TO HAVE SPOOK HOUSE**  
The sixth grade class of Motley County School will have a Spook House Thursday (today) at 10:00 a.m. at the Old High School Building. The Spook House will be for the first grade class.

Among all Texas families with children under six, 28 per cent are in poverty; another 26 per cent are in near poverty.

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The probability of being born to a teenage mother in Texas is three times greater for the illegitimate baby than for the legitimate baby. Illegitimate babies are 22 times more likely to have mothers under 15. Source: "The Darker Side of Childhood," published in 1974 by the Texas Department of Community Affairs, Office of Early Childhood Development.

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Otto Gannon, Avis Groves, Eula Mae Atkinson and Lucille Gannon. Back row: from left: Archie Kennedy, Noble Groves, C. B. Groves, Claude Groves, Miss Ruby Pillow, teacher, and Madge Groves.

(Photo courtesy of Algie Groves)

## FORTH WORTH STOCK SHOW SCHEDULED

FORT WORTH (SPL.) - Record prizes exceeding \$330,000 are listed in the 1978 Premium List being mailed this week to over 5,000 potential exhibitors for the 82nd Annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

The Stock Show has been scheduled January 25 through February 5, at the city-owned Amon Carter Square complex on the near west side of Fort Worth.

"Premiums for our livestock show will be over \$200,000" W. R. Watt Jr., President - Manager, said. "The accompanying 60th edition of the World's Original Indoor Rodeo is expected to have over \$138,000 in entry fees and prize money."

Overall premiums for the open livestock division will be more than \$106,000, while Horse Show exhibitors will share some \$35,700 in prizes. Junior Show exhibitors can share in over \$54,300 in premiums.

The Stock Show will host the 55th National American Polled Hereford Show and Sale, offering premiums of \$20,000 for the event. Officials of the American Polled Hereford Association have estimated some 5,000 Polled Hereford enthusiasts will attend the show and annual membership convention.

New in the breeding cattle division will be classes for Simmental with exhibitors seeking a share of \$2,000 in premiums. The show is being co-hosted by the Stock Show and the Texas Simmental Association.

The Premium List will show added prizes to \$5,000 in the commercial Hereford female show, allowing payments in placing 1 to 20 in each class. Limousin, Brahman and Brangus heifers will show in

the Junior Heifer Show for the first time in 1978. These additional classes, along with nine premiums in the department, make nine different breeds to be represented in the Junior Show.

Junior Breeding Show exhibitors will also find increased premiums. Classes for a Pair of Ram Lambs and a Pair of Ewe Lambs have replaced the Exhibitors Flock classes.

Open lambs have been eliminated and junior lambs will be divided into two equal classes by weight upon arrival and show as lightweight and heavyweight divisions. This will make eight divisions and premiums will be paid in places 1 to 25.

Pinzgauer steers have been added in the beef carcass show with premiums that total \$576 for the exotic breed. Total prizes for the nine breeds to be judged in the carcass contest amount to \$6,613.

With the addition of two more performances of the rodeo, the number of contestants in the Invitational Ranch Girls Barrel Race, a part of the Horse Show, has been increased to 105. Premiums, plus entry fees, in the contest climbed to \$6,950.

Paints and Appaloosa Horses will be presented during rodeo events on Jan. 25 and 26, and other traditional times and show days for the several breeds and types in the Horse Show have been changed. The Donkey and Mule Show has been expanded to two days.

Premiums in the small stock division for rabbits, poultry and pigeons will total about \$3,000. The Stock Show will host the National Meet of the Game Bantam Club of the Southwest at the poultry show, Birmingham Roller

Pigeons will have two new classes, Best Black Self and Best Black Marked. The rabbit show will include several official sweepstakes shows.

Watt urged all potential exhibitors to study the 1978 Premium List before making their entries. "Many rules and arrival dates have changed for this year's Stock Show," the President-manager said, "and to avoid errors and misclassifications, exhibitors should read the Premium List carefully."

Entry deadline for the National Polled Hereford Show is December 1. Other cattle, sheep, swine, horses, mules and donkeys should be entered before December 10. Rabbit, pigen and poultry exhibitors have until January 15 to enter.

Premium Lists and entry information are available by writing the Stock Show, P.O. Box 150, Fort Worth, Texas, 76101.

Among one-parent families with children under six in Texas, 65 per cent are in poverty; an additional 23 per cent are in near poverty. ("Poverty" is defined as \$4,300 a year for a nonfarm family of four; "near poverty" is \$8,600 or less). Source: "The Darker Side of Childhood," published in 1974 by the Texas Department of Community Affairs, Office of Early Childhood Development.

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One-third of Texas fathers with children under six have not finished high school.

nants, viruses, and other diseases carrying organisms," said Mark V. Lowry, surveillance and technical assistance branch chief of the Water Hygiene Division. "As you probably know, water contains minute quantities of many minerals which appear in nature."

Lowry said to assist in this effort, Congress passed the Safe Drinking Water Act in 1974. The law directed the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to establish minimum national drinking water standards. These standards set limits on the amounts of various substances sometimes found in drinking water.

"As of June 24, 1977, your water supplier must periodically sample and test the water pumped to your tap," said Lowry. "If tests reveal that the national drinking standards have been violated, then your supplier must take action to correct the situation."

When there are violations, the supplier is also required by the Safe Drinking Water Act to notify the water used and to announce the violation to the newspapers, radio and television stations.

"If you hear or read such announcements, don't panic," said Lowry. "It will explain the problem and tell you what precautions, if any, you should take. It may also tell you what's being done to remedy the situation."

Most notices of violations of drinking water standards will not mean that your health is immediately endangered he said. The reason for this is that the limit on the amount of each substance allowed in drinking water is based on what can be consumed for a lifetime without adverse health effects. This large safety margin was built into most standards so that it won't be harmful for people to drink water exceeding some of the maximum contaminant

levels for short periods of time.

"The fact that your State water agency or water supplier announced a violation of a drinking water standard is not by itself cause for alarm. It is a safety precaution required by Congress to call public attention to deficiencies in a drinking water supply," said Lowry.

In essence, Congress is saying that through the Safe Drinking Water Act that everyone has the right to expect water that meets minimum national standards set for the protection of public health. "You have the right to be told -- and your water supplier must tell you -- if your water does not meet those standards," says Lowry.

The EPA has established standards for 10 chemicals, six pesticides, bacteria, radioactivity, and turbidity or cloudiness.

Most of these substances occur naturally in the environment and in the foods people eat. The national drinking water standards set by the EPA reflect the levels that can be safely consumed in water, taking into account the amounts of exposure from the other sources.

"Only two substances for which standards have been set pose an immediate threat to health whenever they are exceeded," said Lowry. "These are bacteria and the amount of nitrate found in the water."

Coliform bacteria from

human and animal wastes may be found in drinking water if the water isn't properly treated. These bacteria may indicate that other harmful organisms may be present in the water.

"Waterborne diseases such as typhoid, cholera, infectious hepatitis, and dysentery have been traced to improperly disinfected drinking water," said Lowry. "If you should receive notice that the bacteria level

in your water exceeds the minimum standard, follow the directions given in the notice."

Nitrate in drinking water above the national standard poses an immediate threat to children under three months of age. In some infants, excessive levels of nitrate have been known to react when the hemoglobin in the blood to produce an anemia condition commonly known as "blue baby."

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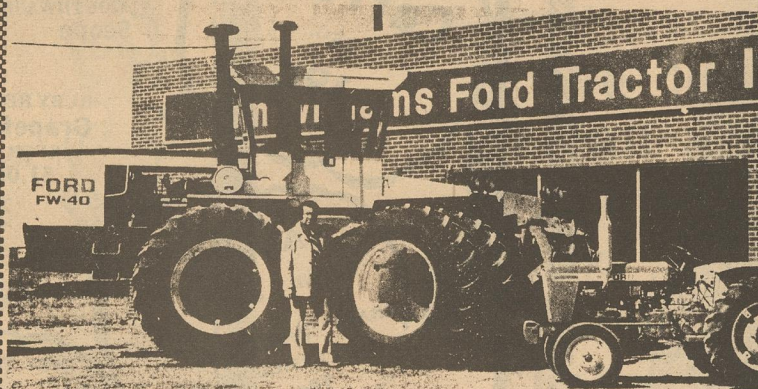
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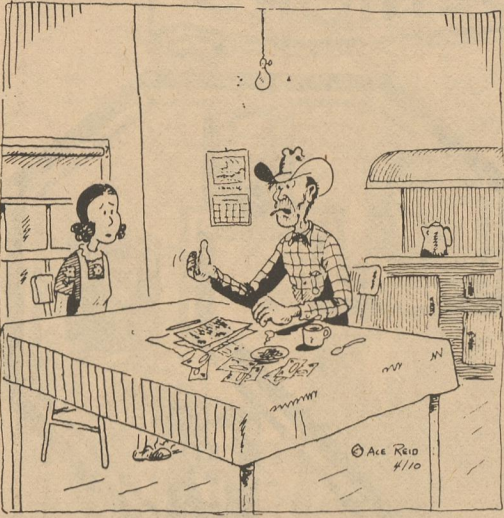
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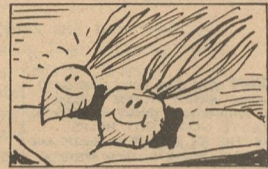
"Don't part with your illusions. When they are gone you may still exist but you have ceased to live." Mark Twain

**Walk To Lose Weight**

Want to lose ten pounds in the next week? One way you can do it is to walk an extra mile every day. The American Medical Association points out that a walk of just an extra mile per day for 36 days is a simple, pleasant device for shedding an extra pound of fat. In a year this would mount up to about ten pounds. The extra mile means just that -- a mile of walking in addition to the customary walking you now do each day. And walking at a brisk clip, not just sauntering along. And without increasing your present food intake. Once regarded as a major factor in losing weight, physical activity was later accorded less importance. It



A Hawaiian will normally pronounce "Merry Christmas" as "Mele Kalikimaka."



Green onions are picked from the ground before maturity. Ripe onions are kept in the ground until the tops wither.

was recalled that considerable effort was required to shed even one pound of extra tissue. Would-be reducers found comfort in some expert opinion that calories expended through exercise would be immediately replaced, due to automatic increase in appetite. Fortunately for fitness as well as for fatness, exercise has been restored to grace and enjoys respectability. It still takes calory control to keep weight under control permanently, but exercise helps expand calories; within the usual range of activity, to need not stimulate appetite excessively. The energy output required to offset a pound of fat is approximately 3,500 calories, but the weight need not be lost all at once. Instead of exhausting, often impossible, 36-mile hike within a span of hours, a walk of just one extra mile a day for 36 days will get rid of that extra pound. Weight gain usually is relatively slow, and the extra mile will -- for most of us -- help keep weight down to a reasonable figure. To be effective for both weight reduction and for general physical conditioning, exercise must be a regular part of your way of life, and not something that is overdone spasmodically.

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